2024 BVCA National Championship Tournament

Tournament Information

2024 Competition Dates: July 7, 8, 9, 10, 11
Location: Hermosa Beach Pier, North & Southside
1 Pier Ave, Hermosa Beach, CA 90254
Entry Fee: \$295 per team

Age Groups

18's- Players Graduation year of 2024 & 202516's- Players Graduation year of 2026 & 202714's- Players Graduation year of 2028 & 202912's -Players Graduation year of 2030 & 2031 and younger

Qualification

Individual Pairs Event

Teams are selected by their club director. Each beach club will select their top team. If a player graduated High School in the fall and went to college in the spring, she can NOT participate in the BVCA National Championships as a junior player. If you are doing a gap year, please email the BVCA.

See Guidelines

Club vs Club Challenge Event

Teams qualified based on ranking points. See Guidelines **Open Division** 5v5 Club v Club-24 Clubs

• **OPEN Division (5 vs 5):** The highest ranking 16 clubs based on RANKING points (excluding points of clubs with multiple teams). The Advisory Committee will award 8 'At Large' bids based on points, finishes, number of events, and will also consider clubs with a 2nd or 3rd team for qualification. A total of 24 squads will qualify.

After day 1 at the National Championship, the 3rd and 4th place squads from each pool will play in a Tier 2 Open Championship.

• **CLUB Division (3 vs 3):** The highest ranking 16 clubs based on RANKING points (excluding points of clubs with multiple teams). The Advisory Committee will award 8 'At

Large' bids based on points, finishes, number of events, and will also consider clubs with a 2nd or 3rd team for qualification. A total of 24 squads will qualify.

After day 1 at the National Championship, the 3rd and 4th place squads from each pool will play in a Tier 2 Club Championship.

• **FUTURES Division (3 vs 3):** The highest ranking 8 clubs based on RANKING points (excluding points of clubs with multiple teams).

NOTE: RANKING POINTS will be taken from a Club's Top 4 Finishes in the BVCA Challenge Series (Open,Club & Future divisions) to determine their points to go to the National Championships.

Schedule

***This schedule can change based on the number of teams that register. This will be the new format for 2024.

Day 1- Sunday, July 7 // 16's and 18's age groups

Wave 1: 16's 7:30 Check in for 16's (FIVB) Pools of 4/Match Play

168 teams' max entry in each age group-42 pools

- 8:30 -1 vs 4
- **9:30** 2 v 3
- **10:30** Loser of Game 1 vs Loser of Game 2
- **11:30** Winner of Game 1 vs Winner of Game 2

Wave 2: 12:00 18's Check in (FIVB) Pools of 4/Match Play

168 teams' max entry in each age group-42 pools

- 1:00 -1 vs 4
- **2:00**-2v3
- **3:00** Loser of Game 1 vs Loser of Game 2
- **4:00** Winner of Game 1 vs Winner of Game 2

CLUB V CLUB National Championship for 3v3 FUTURE Division

8:30 Check in 9:00 Pool Play

Day 2- Monday, July 8

- The winner of each pool will go into a pool of 3 to decide seeding into the Gold Bracket.
- The last place team of each pool will go into a pool of 3 to decide seeding into the bronze bracket.
- The 2nd, and 3rd place teams will go into a pool of 3. The winner of the pool will advance into the 70 team Gold, the 2nd and 3rd place goes to 56 team Silver, 42-team bronze bracket.
- Games will be played to 21 in seeding-round.

Wave 1: 7:15-7:30 16's& 18's Check in pool of 3 for seeding into Brackets 8:00 Start Time

1v3 2v3 1v2 Wave 2: 9:00 16's &18's Check in pool of 3 for seeding into Brackets 9:30 Start Time 1v3 2v3

1v2

11:30-6:30 Championship Bracket Gold/Silver/Bronze for 16's & 18's

- MATCH PLAY, you lose you're out of the tournament
- The Goal is to finish the 2-3 rounds of Bracket.

CLUB V CLUB National Championship for 3v3 FUTURE Division

• 9:00am for CHAMPIONSHiP BRACKET for Future National Championship

Day 3- Tuesday, July 9 // 12's & 14's age groups

8:30-5:00 16's and 18's Finish Championship Bracket 16's & 18's Medal ceremony to follow the competition

12's Age Group

7:30 12's Check in (FIVB) pools of 4 -match play

60 teams' max entry-15 pools

- 8:30-1 vs 4
- 9:30- 2 v 3
- 10:30- Loser of Game 1 vs Loser of Game 2
- 11:30- Winner of Game 1 vs Winner of Game 2

14's Age Group

12:00 14's Check in (FIVB) Pools of 4 -match play

144-teams max entry-36 pools

- 1:00-1 vs 4
- 2:00-2 v 3
- 3:00- Loser of Game 1 vs Loser of Game 2
- 4:00- Winner of Game 1 vs Winner of Game 2

Day 4- Wednesday, July 10 // Club v Club

- The winner of each pool will go into a pool of 3 to decide seeding into the Gold Bracket.
- The last place team of each pool will go into a pool of 3 to decide seeding into the bronze bracket.
- In 12's, the 2nd and 3rd place teams will go into a pool of 3. The winner of the pool will advance into the 30-team Gold, 2nd 3rd place teams into 15-team Silver, 15-team bronze bracket.
- In 14's, the 2nd, and 3rd place teams will go into a pool of 3. The winner of the pool will advance into the 60-team Gold, 2nd and 3rd place teams into 48-team Silver, 36-team bronze bracket.
- Games will be played to 21 in seeding-round.

7:45 12's and 14's Check-in

8:15-11:15 Pool of 3 for seeding into Brackets, there will be 2 pools on one court. **11:30-6:00 Championship Bracket Gold/Silver/Bronze** for 12's & 14's

- MATCH PLAY, you lose you're out of the tournament
- Goal is to finish the 2-3 rounds of Bracket

Club v Club National Championships July 10th & 11th

7:20 Check in Directors and Coaches meeting

Open Division 5v5 Club v Club- 24 Clubs

- Top 2 that finish in Pool-play stay in OPEN Gold Bracket
- 3rd & 4th in Pool go to Tier 2 Open 5 v5 Championship Bracket

Club Division Club v Club 3v3- 24 Clubs

- Top 2 that finish in Pool-play stay in CLUB Gold Bracket
- 3rd & 4th in Pool go to Tier 2 CLUB 3 v 3 Championship Bracket

Depending on space, there might be different waves. Wave 1: 8:00-1:00 Wave 2: 2:00-7:00

Day 5- Thursday, July 11

8:30-5:00 12's and 14's Finish Championship Bracket 12's & 14's Medal ceremony to follow

8:30-5:00 Club v Club National Championship Bracket

Awards will be given out to the overall Best Beach Club Championship, and the Club vs Club Championship Series

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We hold our events and participants to the highest standards of integrity and have set guidelines to be followed by participants and clubs.

If a BVCA event has already started and a beach club participant and/or beach club has not followed or untruthfully agreed to any of the guidelines, we hold the right to disqualify the team and/or payer and not award any points to their club. Disqualified participants will not receive a refund.

Additionally, the BVCA reserves the right to suspend participants and/or beach clubs from participating in any future BVCA events.